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## GREAT AUK'S EGG?

Maybe, but Nevertheless, It Arrived at the Breakfast Table in a Scramble.

By MARGARET MANNING.

Professor Ferdinand Brinkhofen wandered into the kitchen of his summer bungalow, on the Maine shore. His wife was washing the dinner dishes.

"Ellen, my dear," he said, "Doctor Cavendish, of the Natural History Museum, will be here this afternoon. Can you get up a meal for him? He has to stop back tomorrow morning."

"I suppose so, Ferdinand," answered his wife, a little tartly. "You know, of course, that we haven't much in the house to offer a guest. However, I'll do my best, and if he will be satisfied with it he's welcome. Why is he coming all this distance just to spend the night with us?"

Professor Brinkhofen put his arm round his wife's waist and kissed her. "I know you're busy, Ellen," he said. "Next summer we'll get a maid."

And he wandered out, while his wife was washing. "She dried the last plate and set it aside."

"I wonder just why Doctor Cavendish is coming here for one night," she said to herself.

Professor Brinkhofen engaged a rowboat and pulled round to the railroad terminal, where he arrived just in time to greet Doctor Cavendish as his visitor stepped out of his car.

"Well, what did you think of my letter?" he asked, after the customary greetings had been exchanged.

Doctor Cavendish took his friend by the arm. "My dear old enthusiast," he answered, "to be frank with you,

When a singularly successful business man was asked the secret of getting on in the world, he modestly said: 'My wife deserved most of the credit as she always had a good breakfast ready for him every day in the year, served punctually and piping hot. He further said that poor food, especially in the morning, was responsible for many business failures, for the man who sets out on a cold morning and cold, indigestible food in his stomach is ill-prepared for the business battle. It takes time and planning, but it pays to serve good breakfasts. It means getting up early enough to insure against rushing about and fretting when things go wrong, but the wise woman cannot do this for her husband or for herself and well fed. There are plenty of ways in which a woman can help her husband, and even if she keeps a maid she will find plenty to oversee and correct day after day. The women who rise early to get breakfast for their husbands unite in saying there are possibilities in the early morning hours realized later in the day. When other women are asleep, they are the thrifty housekeepers have their morning work done and are ready to get the children off to school. Their husbands are not so hurried. If all children were sent to the school room well fed in the morning, if they were aroused in time to dress leisurely and eat a hearty breakfast, there would be fewer cases of nervous prostration among teachers. A cup of hot cocoa, a poached egg, good toast and well-cooked cereal served to the entire family in the morning and eaten in a leisurely manner would rob hospitals of many patients and give doctors and surgeons extra vacations every year."

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"No, Cavendish, in 1912. I tell you it was an auk. I shot the brooding bird, but it fell into the water and drifted out to sea before I could get a boat. But the egg—it was an auk's egg, and it was warm. I took it home and I'm incubating it."

"What does Mrs. Brinkhofen think of it?"

"She doesn't know anything about it, of course. I don't believe in telling my wife a professional secret. And the joke of it is—she nudged Cavendish in the ribs—'It's incubating with a clutch of eggs that she set out last week under one of our hens. It couldn't be safer anywhere.'"

"Show me!" said Cavendish sceptically, and they entered the breakfast room, and a few minutes later, round the point of land behind which the Brinkhofens had their bungalow.

"There was where I shot her," said the professor, pointing to the high, towering cliff. "I didn't mean to, either, but I was so excited that I couldn't think of anything but getting away. Now, before we do anything else we'll go straight to the clutch."

"They climbed the hill and entered the little garden of the bungalow. In one corner was the hen house, and in the center, seated upon a clutch of eggs surrounded with straw, was a gray hen, which looked at them with malignant eyes and half opened her beak as though to protect her treasure."

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at auction. "Yes, yes, I'm speaking about the egg," said Doctor Cavendish irritably. "What are you speaking about?"

"Why, the auk, of course. Don't you know that I put it there so that it would hatch? Why, they'll have a real live bird Cavendish! I shall sell it to the Zoological Society, and I'll patch up the egg after it has hatched out, and I'll get you have that for a thousand. And the bird will lay more eggs, and I'll get a thousand apiece for those too, and—"

"I say," interposed Cavendish, "remember it isn't hatched yet. If I were you I would tell Mrs. Brinkhofen about it."

"Tell Mrs. Brinkhofen? Why, she'd tell the neighbors and they'd steal it or do something to it! Never trust a woman. No, it is safest just where it is."

They argued with some lack of equanimity until dinner time, when Mrs. Brinkhofen ejected them into the house to offer a guest.

"Hum! I'm hungry as a bear," said Doctor Cavendish, pulling his napkin across his knees. "What have we here? Scrambled eggs?"

"I don't know whether you like scrambled eggs," said Mrs. Brinkhofen. "They say they're very good for you, but I don't know. I must have been told by one of Mr. Giles's geese, for it wasn't there last time I looked. So I thought that it was just many eggs I'd try what it tasted like."

"Woman!" fumed the professor, springing to his feet, "do you mean to say you've been eating them?"

"Yes, dear," said Mrs. Brinkhofen sweetly. (Copyright, 1912, by W. G. Chapman.)

## HOT BREAKFAST MEANS MUCH

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Governor Foss Says American Factories Will Continue to Cross the Line Until Tariffs are Changed

On July 14th Mr. Eugene N. Foss, Governor of Massachusetts and one of the most influential business men and statesmen in the United States made the following appeal to Congress:

"All over the United States the tendency among the principal manufacturing interests is toward the establishment of plants in Canada. This movement has been going on for many years, and it is estimated that from three to five hundred million dollars of American capital is now invested in these Canadian plants. American manufacturers have completely filled the American market, and their production is now greatly in excess of the domestic demand. Under these conditions the expansion of their domestic plants is impossible, and it is becoming necessary for them to cartelize production. If they had a reasonable outlet for their surplus products, under reciprocal trade agreements with other countries, these industries could remain at home and grow; but, under the conditions that exist, they must remove in part to these countries where markets they desire to reach."

Stop Movement to Canada

"This movement of American manufacturers to Canada could be stopped and they could remain in this country if it were not for the absurd conditions created by our tariff legislation. We should have with Canada and other countries such trade agreements as would enable us to manufacture our goods in the United States, giving employment to American workmen and utilizing only American capital. But such agreements would imply a recognition of the principle of reciprocity. Reciprocity would mean that a wide-spread demand throughout this country for a lower tariff—and would meet that demand on sane and reasonable lines, stimulating our industries and our trade. Canada, in particular, is one of our most valuable customers in theory and should be so in fact. During the past ten years the rate of increase in population in Canada has proceeded far faster than in this country and her relative industrial power is growing faster than our own. If we cannot get this market through proper adjustment of our tariff policy, we must go to Canada and establish ourselves there."

A Second Statement

On July 16th Governor Foss followed up his first appeal with another, in part as follows:

"The movement of American manufacturers and American money into Canada has been going on so quietly that it has not attracted much public attention. The General Electric Company has a very extensive plant in Canada; also the Westinghouse Electric Company, the Oliver Chilled Pipe Company, the International Harvester Company, the American Locomotive Company, the American Bower Company, the Buffalo Forge Company, the Plymouth Cordage Works, and in fact nearly all the leading concerns of every industry have been compelled to establish branches in Canada. To many of these the last would be impossible, because the establishing and maintenance of these factories is not announced and not made a matter of official record. I find, however, that up to January 1, 1913, approximately 176 American companies had established themselves. The recorded amounts

of capital invested in these enterprises and in the purchase of land, distributing houses, packing plants, and also in the purchase of holdings of stock in Canadian corporations, reached a total of \$275,000,000. This, of course, does not even approximate the total of American money which has gone into Canada. So far as my own business—the B. F. Sturtevant Company—is concerned, our folks have for years been urging me to move to Canada, saying that we were losing business; but I said 'No, that isn't the way.'"

"Our principal competitor, the American Bower Company, of which Secretary Redfield has been until recently Vice-President, built a great plant in Windsor, Ont., two years ago. Mr. Redfield toured the world in the interests of his company, and on that tour acquired the information which has given him reputation as a tariff expert. In many instances the plants which our manufacturers are establishing in Canada are directly owned and financed by the parent concerns in this country, and in some instances, even the payroll is met by the weekly shipments of funds from the American parent concern to its branch in Canada. I believe it is a conservative estimate to say that, up to date, at least five hundred millions of American money has been poured into Canada in the building up of American properties across the border. I believe that the movement of American capital toward Canada will greatly increase from year to year under the present fiscal systems of both countries. Undoubtedly the development of Canada in the next twenty-five years will be relatively greater than in the United States. This fact impels enterprising concerns to fortify themselves by locating within Canadian borders."

The B. F. Sturtevant Company of which Mr. Foss is treasurer and which, as he says, is establishing a plant at Galt, Ontario, has for long manufactured engines and heating plants in a large way at Hyde Park, near Boston, Massachusetts.

The Sturtevant enterprise is well known in Canada, and it brings with it American capital and the employment of Canadian workmen, the up building of a Canadian town and the broadening of the Canadian farmers' home market. A similar transfer of United States capital and industries to Canada has been strikingly evident in hundreds of American Canadian and Western Canadian towns. Look at the thriving industrial centers which dot Ontario and Quebec and have lately sprung up in the Eastern Maritime Provinces, and upon the Western prairies!

The Governor of Massachusetts declares that American manufacturers need Canada as an outlet for their products and that Washington should prevail upon Ottawa to lower the Canadian tariff so that United States firms could send more of their goods to Canada, which in turn would go to the expense of establishing Canadian plants and employing Canadian artisans. This is a perfectly legitimate desire for Mr. Foss to entertain, but Canadian workmen will be slow to accede to it. As Mr. Foss says the Dominion has been progressing more rapidly than the Republic for many years past. Much of this progress has come from the annexation of American industries, and we shall scarcely allow a fiscal policy that has brought such splendid results.

of better a year from its new plant. In the Edmonton district as in other parts of Canada the dairy and poultry industries are assuming extensive proportions, and there is a great deal of room still for them to grow before they run up with the expanding requirements of a rapidly increasing population. Millions of dollars still go abroad to foreign countries for dairy, poultry, and live stock products that should find its way into the pockets of Canadian farmers. As the West fills up with industrial centres and the dairies and stock raising and the Canadian agricultural world find an ever-growing demand for the products of intensive milk farming.

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regained consciousness. She has not recovered entirely from the shock, but is doing well. The boy was not injured, and soon became conscious. Other members of the family escaped untouched. Subsequent searches have traced the path of the bolt showed that it had come from Miss Thomas to a nail in the wall, ran into one of the floor beams, splitting it from end to end, and gone into the room. Furniture in the sitting room, as well as the walls, was damaged, while the paper and pictures on the walls of the upper story were discolored by sulphur and soot.

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There is one way, and only one way, to strike oil in Alberta, and that is for the government to take a hand in the game, and have their experts thoroughly test the fields. If that is done, we do not think it will be long before there will be enough oil for the people in our own province.

### SIR WILFRID'S QUEBEC CRIV.

At St. Hyacinthe Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that he was in Quebec to fight the Borden naval policy, and that "no one dominates over French-Canadians." In these words he made it plain what the Liberal plan of campaign is to be in the next general election. Quebec is to be raised with the old appeal to racial prejudice. The party hope is that if that province can be stampeded the seat-support obtained in English-speaking Canada may place Sir Wilfrid Laurier again in power. This, says the Toronto News, seems to be the outcome of the former Premier's recent visits to the Toronto, Montreal and other party headquarters.

As if by way of afterthought, and in fear that his Quebec battle cry might arouse antagonism in Ontario and elsewhere, Sir Wilfrid Laurier added: "And French-Canadians dominate over no others." We should be glad to think that this was true, but the history of the past few years shows that it is not. In election after election the Liberal leader and his lieutenants traded on

race and creed arguments, and in office they lived up to their arguments. Was it not the influence of Quebec that caused Sir Wilfrid Laurier to reverse his position on the Manitoba school question (by which he climbed into office) and to impose a dual school system upon Saskatchewan and Alberta?

Was it not his anxiety to hold Quebec that made Sir Wilfrid Laurier oppose the sending of troops to South Africa until public opinion in English-speaking Canada forced his hand? Was it not his subservience to his Quebec followers which led him to block co-operation with the rest of the Empire for defence at sea in successive Imperial Conferences? Was it not the dominance of this particular French-Canadian viewpoint that made the Laurier Government refuse assistance to the British Admiralty for years after Australia, New Zealand and South Africa had begun to make contributions in cash or ships. Was not the Nationalist victory in Drummond and Arthabaska the reason why the late Government failed to act upon its own naval defence policy before it went out of office?

The unvarnished truth is that English-speaking Canada years ago sickened of the long domination in Federal affairs enjoyed by certain active Quebec element. This element will once more respond to the racial appeal, but tens of thousands of more intelligent French-Canadians will continue to take the broad Canadian view, to recognize in the British Empire and the British navy the real guarantees of their prosperity and privileges, and to vote accordingly. In the rest of the Dominion this fresh Liberal attempt to raise one province against the rest will prove a new source of weakness to the party—if it can be made any weaker than it is. It holds only 13 seats out of 86 in Ontario.

The leader's assertion that Canadian autonomy is in danger is the most pitiable of pretences. The fact is that owing to Sir Wilfrid Laurier's lack of sympathy with the British ideal, and to his consequent failure to do his duty to Canada and the Empire in regard to defence at sea, this country alone of all the self-governing communities under the flag is doing nothing on the water to support that flag. The result has been a declaration from the Liberal Ministers of Great Britain that the British taxpayers cannot always bear the Empire's burdens alone, and that they would greatly welcome prompt aid from this rich, young country. The need is pressing and we have the Admiralty's assertion that the ships promised by Mr. Borden, will be forthcoming by 1915 or 1916. Mother Country will have to make good the default herself.

To this appeal self-respecting Canadians cannot turn deaf ears. We cannot forget the protection afforded to this country by the world's greatest navy for a hundred and fifty years past wholly free of cost. We cannot ignore this age-long debt of our present obligation. We cannot overlook the truth that in office Sir Wilfrid Laurier did nothing, that his present policy would add nothing to the Empire's sea strength

for ten or fifteen years to come, and that it would involve the Dominion in an early expenditure of \$140,000,000, which would soon run into \$400,000,000 or \$500,000,000 for this larger sum is the outlay to which Australia is already committed. Nor should we omit the consideration that Mr. Borden has protested and extended Canadian autonomy and sovereignty by securing for Canada a voice in Imperial affairs. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's appeal on the naval issue offends the intelligence of Canadians as does also his statement that the majority of Canadians were carried away by passion and prejudice and thus duped into voting against reciprocity two years ago. His carefully guarded insinuation that the present financial stringency—arising from world-wide economic conditions—is partly due to the Borden Government need not be seriously considered.

### HOW THE WEST BENEFITS

The Alberta Farmer, Medicine Hat, says:

What farmer in the West would have reciprocity now? Last week there was a spread of fifteen cents in the price of No. 1 Northern wheat between Minneapolis and Winnipeg. Here are the figures quoted from the Winnipeg Free Press:

At Winnipeg, July closed, \$1.00.  
At Minneapolis, July closed, 84¢.  
For nearly a year now the Winnipeg price has been ranging higher than the Minneapolis price. The much talked-of American wheat market for the western farmer is a myth. These figures prove it, and what emphasizes it more is the fact that the American farmer last year had millions of bushels of wheat for export.

The Liberal press which tried to impose the reciprocity pact on Canada ought now to explain to the western farmer just how many millions of dollars this difference in price between Winnipeg and Minneapolis saves the producer of grain on this side with a crop in sight which promises to break all records.

The situation in Minneapolis and other American wheat centres today is that the elevators are filled with old wheat for which there is no market at home. The new spring wheat is already pouring into a congested market. In one day last week over 250 cars of spring wheat arrived in Kansas City. With a domestic market already congested this means that grain must ultimately go into the export field and trade figures show that the United States shipped last year some 146,000,000 bushels to Europe. The reciprocity treaty would have opened the Canadian market for this surplus.

### SHE NEVER WAS KISSED.

(Ottawa Journal)

Interviewed at New York, Dr. Annie T. Quensal, a noted Swedish zoologist, said she had never been kissed by anyone, not even by her husband. She is described as pretty and charming. Dr. Annie said:

"My husband has never kissed me, and I have never kissed him. Neither of us have ever kissed anyone. We are both very active members of the Continental Anti-Kissing League. We believe kissing is unsanitary and a menace to good health."

People have been kissing a long time at more or less frequent intervals. Those who decided not to kiss are within their rights. The modern tendency to provide against unsanitary influences, such as the common drinking cup, roller towel, and the like, has not yet reached kissing, so there is no law against it. Nor has the evil influence of kissing been demonstrated so forcibly that the people are unduly alarmed. So the passing of anti-kissing legislation would provoke a storm of disapproval—and possibly would add something to the mysterious enjoyment of the kiss surreptitiously. Even a law providing for the return of stolen kisses might not work out smoothly.

Dr. Quensal need not kiss. Her husband need not kiss. But the average opinion will be that they do not know what they are missing by not kissing, no matter what they believe they are missing in the way of diseases. Anyway, we think kisses are worth the risk. There's lots of fun that is worth more than the possible danger.

### BLOCK EFFORT TO INCREASE FLOUR RATES.

Ottawa, Aug. 28.—An effort on the part of the railway to increase the rates on grain and grain products between points in eastern Canada has been blocked by the railway board. The new rates, which were to come into effect on September 7, provided for an increase of from one to six cents per hundred weight. Strong objection was taken to the increases by the Dominion Millers' association and the Campbell Milling

Company, of Toronto, while the shippers of Montreal had called a meeting to make a protest. Yesterday, the railway board decided to notify that the new tariffs must stand over until the trade meetings of the board, on September 16, when the railways will be asked to show cause for making the increase.

### That Money is Accursed, Says New York Paper

It Has Cursed Its Possessors and Has Degraded the State Utterly

(From the New York World)  
Was there ever a greater curse than the Thaw money? It has been an affliction to its possessors from the first. It has burdened society with prodigality, scandal and crime. For years it has been shamelessly used to defeat justice, to nullify law, and to corrupt the authorities of a great state.

If Harry Thaw had been born poor he might today have been a worthy man. It was not heredity that made him what he is. It was money. Money caused him to be an idler; money led him into evil associations; money distorted his views of right and wrong; money enabled him to contaminate others; money at last gave him the vices which unhinged him and added murder to the long list of his offences.

The Thaw money is a curse, because it has produced a degenerate in whose behalf it has been able to degrade even the degraded, to exhibit the infirmity of the state, to expose the feebleness of our laws and to make the American boast of equality a jest among the nations. It has taken the Thaw money some years to humiliate New York utterly, but it has gained the day at last, accursed though it be.

### Interview With Roche Pleasing to the Ranchers

After Talk One Ranchman Said, We Got Everything We Asked For.

Moose Jaw, August 29.—It was a large delegation of ranchers that waited upon Hon. Dr. Roche, minister of the interior, Thursday morning. They were headed by President Ogle, of the Provincial Ranchers' association, and among those present were D. J. Wylie, M.L.A., and Major John H. Simpson. The interview was a private one, but very satisfactory to the ranchers, one of them saying "We got everything we asked for and a little more."

A luncheon was given the minister at which seventy-five sat down, and the chair was taken by W. W. Davidson, M.L.A. W. B. Willoughby, M.L.A., proposed "the toast," Dr. Roche, in whom his friends note a large improvement in health, spoke briefly, his voice showing the old time fervor.

There was a large delegation from the city on the question of water rights on the river, ice cutting privileges there, freight rates on coal, the Grand Trunk Pacific deal in providing terminal accommodation, and other minor matters.

Dr. Roche's replies were all satisfactory. Other deputations were from all parts of the province, south, to Outlook in the north, while others came from east and west.

THE DEMAGOGUES WELL ANSWERED.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 22.—Condemning trades union men who belong to the Canadian militia, a resolution was passed by the Trades and Labor Council to be sent to the Trades Congress, and speeches were made in which the soldiers were freely described as "murderers," "assassins" and "scum of the earth."

LEGISLATURE TO BE OPENED SEPTEMBER 16th.

Edmonton, Aug. 28.—The date for the opening of the next session of the Alberta legislature has been fixed for Tuesday, September 16. Premier Sifton announced today that this will not be in the nature of a special session. The estimates will be dealt with, and all the other ordinary business of the legislature transacted. It is probable the session will be short.

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Same as above, only tan grain, Boy Scout make, \$4.00.  
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the erection of these elevators, forty-six local companies have been formed, which are under the direction of the parent company. The preliminary work will all be done by the provincial directors of the Farmers' Elevator company, and to ratify and confirm the action of the directors, a meeting will be held to launch the company, a meeting of the shareholders of the company was held at Puget Hall in Calgary. The

of the provisional directors was accorded, the company was organized upon a permanent basis, and the minister of agriculture assured the shareholders that the money necessary to pay for the elevators was ready and awaiting their pleasure.

Provisions of Act Under Which Farm Elevators Operate.

The act providing for the organization of a farming elevator, containing

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For the carrying out of this plan, a parent company was provided for, to be known as the Alberta Freight Carriers' Electric Traction Company, a corporation, to be incorporated in Alberta, and in turn to be responsible to the government. For the purpose of the organization, the executives of the parent company were directed to carry out the provisions of the plan, and the Alberta Freight Carriers' Electric Traction Company was established.

year, the provincial directors found it necessary to go somewhat further than they were strictly authorized to do in order to get the elevators built this year, so they decided to go ahead, which they have done, and have entered into contracts for the purchase of materials in order to be ready to complete the ensemble of their plan immediately the organization of the committee is completed.

They claim to have the shortest road to Edmonton, and with the improvements to the road, they are sure that the road will be ready to be able to leave in the early summer.

The report of the provisional directors, consideration of which constituted the chief work of the meeting, is a most interesting document. It recites that forty directors have been organized for the purpose of building elevators in different parts of the province. The total capitalization of the corporation is \$300,000 and twenty per cent of the capital stock has been paid in each instance. The remainder is to be paid in installments.

The report further shows that 23 elevators are already under construction, some of which have the foundations laid, while others are as far as fifty per cent. completed. It shows also that contracts have been entered into for all the materials required for the whole forty-six elevators, and that construction is rapidly being pushed to its completion.

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On the purchase of engines alone, the business capacity of the provisional directors is shown. These engines were purchased, of same type but increased power, for something like \$150,000. The same was actually paid for the same engine for other deviators in this county.

The consideration of the report of the provisional directors occupied the

large part of the day and ended in unanimous endorsement of all their acts and the adoption of a resolution confirming all contracts entered into.

By-laws for the company were adopted and ordered printed.

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Government Has Money, Says Hon.

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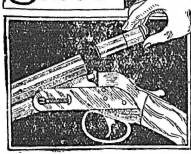
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## OLD ONTARIO'S ROADS

In the organized counties of old Ontario there are 50,000 miles of road, according to a report made by Mr. W. A. McLean of the Highways Department of the Provincial Government. A classification would be approximately as follows: Trunk roads connecting the large towns and cities ..... 2,500 miles County or leading market roads ..... 6,000 miles (a) Main township roads, 25,000 miles (b) Secondary township roads ..... 16,500 miles The roads described as trunk roads are, with the exception of a few connecting links, among the most important of the county roads. Main township roads comprise principally the concession roads on which numerous farms front and which converge into and create the traffic of trunk or county roads. Secondary township roads include the little travelled connecting roads.

## PIONEER OF MONTREAL

Recalls Last Past Events of Big City's History

Mr. Charles A. Gregory of Montreal, although nearing ninety years of age, has the reputation of being the best band player in Canada. Incidentally he has a fund of reminiscences of what is now the biggest city in the Dominion.

Mr. Gregory faintly recalls the burning of the Parliament buildings, and the rotten egg of Lord Elgin through the streets of the city. He first journeyed to Montreal on a train from St. John to Laprairie, which was pulled by horses—a fact which, in fact, the only one in the world. It was understood at the time.

Almost his first experience in Montreal was the execution of twelve soldiers on Fletcher's Field, at the time of the rebellion—a fact which is stamped on his memory, but the details of which he was so young he does not remember. He recalls, however, that his father told him all about the circumstances involved in the case.

## George E. Foster Returns R. N. W. M. Police From Trip to Australasia

FEARS THAT POLITICAL COMPLICATIONS WILL INTERFERE WITH PREFERENTIAL LEGISLATION

Hon. George E. Foster, minister of trade and commerce, passed through Winnipeg recently, bound for Ottawa, after a six months' visit to Australasia. New Zealand, China, Korea and Japan.

Besides the consideration of trade relations between Canada and Australia, Mr. Foster has been investigating trade conditions for a Dominion commission created at the last Imperial conference.

Mr. Foster stated, when interviewed, that Premier Fisher and other Australian statesmen had been favorable to the extension of the principal of preference between Australia and Canada, but that the recent political upheaval has made speedy legislation impossible.

Mr. Foster was well received by the Australians, whom he found thoroughly Imperialistic and leaning toward a policy of Imperial co-operation. "Australian sentiment," said Mr. Foster, "is strong for a white Australia, but up to the present time the increase in white population has been altogether too small. You many of the people that have come have congregated in the cities, so that there has been a real dearth of labor for the development of that portion of Australia fitted to the white man."

"Compelled to strengthen themselves for defence, the Australians have adopted universal service, which is proving effective and popular, and in the matter of sea defence, have co-operated with the British government on a basis thoroughly understood by each."

Mr. Foster stated that the large vessels of the Australian navy were being built under admiralty supervision in British shipyards, but that smaller craft were being assembled in government dockyards in Australia. That it was intended by a gradual process to build up plant and equipment for the construction of future naval units.

## FROM WHEAT GROWING TO DIVERSIFIED FARMING

A Change is Generally Taking Place in Agriculture in Many Western Districts

Western towns and cities have the money and the brain, and the country and location, which should be an advantage in making the foregoing announcement, "but the legislature probably will be asked this year, to vote money for dormitories to be erected at the schools."

## Agricultural Schools

Edmonton, Alta., Aug. 27.—Every boy and girl over 14 years of age in the province of Alberta will have an opportunity to gain a general farm education, including stock judging, dairying, blacksmithing, carpentry, the care and operation of machinery, and domestic science, in the agricultural schools at Vermilion, Claresholm and Okla. to be opened on October 28, and similar institutions to be established in other parts of the province. The courses, occupying six months, are free and open to all.

The work of developing the basic industry of Alberta is under the direction of the provincial agricultural education commission, recently appointed by Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of agriculture for Alberta. The commission, which is headed by Mr. Marshall, president of the University of Alberta, is composed of practical farmers and stock breeders who are familiar with conditions and who have made successes in various lines of farming.

Teachers have been engaged in various parts of the United States and Canada, and they will take charge of the pupils at the opening of the fall and winter term, devoting the rest of the year to investigations and demonstrations. Each school will have an automobile and a team to permit the teachers to visit various parts of the province.



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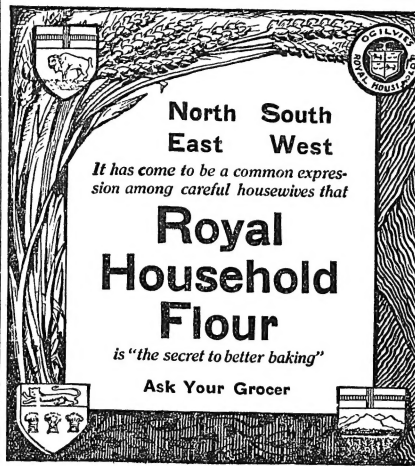
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"Carry it for two cents, sir?" questioned the boy.  
Again the reply came: "No, thank you."  
Whereupon the youngster got into the road, and shouted at the top of his voice three or four times: "You ought to be ashamed of yourself to ask me to carry that heavy bag to the station for a cent."  
And the scornful glances of the crowd made the gentleman feel quite guilty.



**RICH CO. IN GOOD PLAYS—MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th.**  
 "Wedding Bells," the humorous musical comedy, will be presented at the Lyric Theatre, Sept. 8th.  
 The action throughout the bill is quick; the dialogue is scintillatingly funny, and the situations are meritorious and hilarious, the genuine humor of the lines and the development of the situations gradually leading up to the grand climax.  
 Lively musical numbers will be interspersed through the offering, and the comely choristers will execute dances and appear to great advantage in ensembles.  
 The Rich Co. will be here for one night only. Prices 50c, 75c, \$1.00.

#### LOST.

Lost, on Labor Day, between Red Deer and Poplar Ridge, wagon and board. Finder please leave at Corlie's barn or with N. R. McDonald, Red Deer, Sept. 3rd, 1st.

#### LOST

Between Red Deer and Sylvan Lake, brown pocket book, fastened with clasp. Reward will be given on return to this office. Sept. 3, 1st.

#### WANTED.

Good general servant. Apply to Mrs. J. M. Campbell, 5th St. North, Sept. 3.

#### WANTED.

A cook for Alberta Ladies' College at once. Salary \$35 a month. Apply to F. H. TALLMAN, chairman of House and Supplies Committee. Sept. 3.

#### LOST

Small brown grip, between Red Deer and Blackfalds. Finder please leave at Mechanical Garage. Red Deer, Sept. 3, 1st.

#### FOR SALE.

Two democrats in good condition. Apply JAMES CRICKSHANK, Windsor Livery. Sept. 3, 3c.

### AS YOU LIKE IT :

That's the way We will do Your Laundry Work.

If the finish is not what you like, if the clothes are not starched just as you wish them, if they are not delivered when you want them, we will consider it a favor for you to tell us about it.

**Red Deer Steam Laundry**  
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 in quality and abundance are at hand to be had in their pristine freshness at Wilson & Teasdale's Market. Delicacies and delicious Spring Lamb, Spring Chicken, Spring Ducklings are articles of food that to be good must be of the very best quality. Teasdale's Market is the guarantee.

**Wilson & Teasdale**  
RED DEER, ALTA.

## Local and General

Perry Kent is away at the coast on a business trip.

John Hockin, of Fountainstown, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

T. A. Gaetz was away at Delburne labor day on a shooting expedition.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. White, of Calgary, are spending a few days at the Lake.

Frank Miehner and wife returned to Red Deer from Edmonton on Thursday last.

Mrs. Shacklock, of Evans, was looking up old friends in the city last week end.

Alex. Hill, wife and family spent the week end and Labor Day with friends in Calgary.

Alex. Hill has purchased the James L. Malcolm residence on 2nd Street South, Parkvale.

Cleaning, pressing and repairing at Cooper & Baines, next Bank of Commerce. Agent for Style-Craft tailored clothes.

Miss Smith, late nurse of the Memorial Hospital, Red Deer, has taken the position of matron of the Alberta Ladies' College.

Paper, linen and modish books at John McVicar's bookstore.

A large stock of school books. Agent for rubber stamps. Issuer of marriage licenses.

George Selstrom, of Burnt Lake, was enjoying a friendly wrestling bout when he got his shoulder put out of joint. Oscar thinks his friend did just jitsu with him.

Ed. Wilton left Red Deer on Monday last to spend a holiday with relatives and friends in Yorkshire, England. He sails on the S.S. Canada on Sept. 6th.

Vic. Honde, of Red Deer, won the 235 yards, with Dr. Quirk, at the Wetaskiwin fair on August 26th. He also took first prize in the roadster class with his stallion.

Carnation night at the Empress Theatre on Friday next, Sept. 5th. Every lady present will receive a beautiful carnation. Girls with adult tickets only will receive one as well.

Brazier has a special sale on Saturday next from 3 to 11 p.m. Every article in the window for 5c each. During the week every purchase of 50c or more will be given a handy fruit and vegetable sieve.

The Misses Scott, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. E. M. Kane, for the past two weeks, returned to Toronto on Saturday last. They are charmed with Red Deer and its surroundings, and intend to be boosters.

Nazarene Church—Foot of Ross St. Rev. W. H. Tait, pastor. Sunday services: 10:30 a.m., Bible class and Sunday School; 7:30 p.m., song service and preaching. Prayer and praise service Wednesday at 8 p.m. All welcome.

Now is the time to get that musical repair done. It does not make any difference to us what instrument it is as long as it is a musical one. We are experts in the repair of all instruments and do not have to rely on others; it is all done in the store—Hudley & Webb.

James L. Malcolm, the financial agent of the Ladies' College, Red Deer, has resigned his position, and has been appointed assistant secretary to the general manager of the Y.M.C.A. at Port William. Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm left for their new home yesterday.

The draw for the grand prize at the Empress Theatre took place on Thursday last. The first number drawn was 129, but as the owner of the ticket was not in the theatre, provision that the rules call for, another number was drawn. This time it was 1066, belonging to Miss Telling, who wins the grand prize.

A couple of weeks ago two young people were enjoying a trip on the lake. They were in a canoe, and were at Sylvan Lake in a canoe. By some means or other, the canoe upset, tumbling the occupants into the water. The lady, who could not swim, sank a second time, and on rising to the surface embraced the gentleman instead of the canoe. A number of spectators were looking on, and the gentleman, with his sweet burden, waded ashore, looking very embarrassed, but not saying how he felt about it. He was a married man.

Read this carefully. The Sherry comedians and dancers will be at the Lyric Theatre on Friday and Saturday of this week. They are old favorites who play to popular applause at popular prices. The programme consists of musical selections, songs and dances. As comedians they are hard to beat. If you desire a real pleasant evening, see the Sherry. Nothing offensive. Come with the intention of having a good time and you will not be disappointed. The price is only 10c and 25c.

The T. A. Gaetz store has installed a new grocery counter, which is the most up-to-date one in the city. It was made by the Sherer-Gillette Co., of Chicago, a fifteen feet long, four feet wide, and weighs over 1,000 pounds. It is a very handsome piece of work, made of polished cast iron. It is fitted with forty drawers and various sizes, all opening at the back part of the counter, and arranged so as no dirt or dirt can get into the inside. The front part of the counter has forty separate glass front cupboards, showing samples of goods in the drawers behind. The fixture has added greatly to the look of the store, in addition to the convenience for the clerks.

Ed. Kershaw left last night for Bassano on a business trip.

Mrs. Dunbar, of Winnipeg, is visiting her brother, Mr. Huot, Victoria Avenue.

Oliver Rich, postmaster at Gadsby, was in the city looking up old friends last week.

Don't forget to keep Friday, Sept. 12th, open, when The Barrier will be at the Empress Theatre.

All letters sent by rural mail routes require a two-cent stamp on them. All citizens should bear this in mind.

C. W. Parks, wife and family came in from the Lake on Monday last, where they have been for the last eight weeks.

Edward Wilton left on Monday for Tidworth, Dorsetshire, England, to visit his old home. He will be away three months.

C. Potter, of Vancouver, is relieving H. T. K. Kinch, the Dominion Express Co.'s agent at Red Deer, who is away on his holidays.

L. O. L. meeting on September 5, and all brethren are requested to attend at 8 o'clock, as there will be special business on that night.

Chief Meeres is away at Fort William attending a meeting of the Ontario Football Association at the residence of the President of the Alberta Association.

The first prize given by the Horticultural Society for school gardens was won by Willowsdale near Waskasoo, as reported in last week's paper.

Harry Phillips, of New Westminster, B.C., is in the city. He is here in connection with the death of John Northey, which sad event took place Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Greene and family have returned from a pleasant seven weeks' outing at Sylvan Lake. Mr. Hyde, who has been there this week, also came in with them.

The funeral of the late Mr. Northey, of Balmoral, who died last Friday in California, will be held on Thursday morning, September 4th, at 10 o'clock in Presbyterian Church, Red Deer.

C. A. Wells, of Pitou, was in the city on Wednesday last. He reports a very heavy hail storm passed over Pitou on Tuesday night at 11 p.m., which destroyed the crops where it happened to strike.

Miss Nellie Cole, of Los Angeles, California, who is on her way to New York to take a graduating course in the Columbia University, has been spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Carswell.

The final standing for the season of the Western Canada League gives the different teams the following per cent: Moose Jaw, 71.2; Medicine Hat, 61.0; Saskatoon, 53.4; Edmonton, 44.5; Calgary, 42.9; Regina, 27.1.

A. W. Perry & Company have taken over the North End store. The party first proposed by Lowthion, and will be glad to have a share of your patronage. All goods kept in stock will be of the finest quality. Call in and see us. Strictly first class in business and prompt delivery assured.

The semi-annual meeting of the Presbytery of Red Deer is being held this week. The Ladies' Aid Society gave a supper to the ministers and missionaries last Monday night, to which the managers and elders of the local church and their wives were invited. An enjoyable evening was spent together.

The Parish Hall Minstrels are holding their first practice in the pastor's rooms at the Hall on Friday evening at eight-thirty. Manager Hubie Gee reports their book of songs is practically complete, and splendid enthusiasm among the large number who are working with him to put on a really good show. Any young man wishing to join the troupe are cordially invited to attend the meeting on Friday night or to send in their names to Manager R. Gee or Ed. Clarke, Hon. Sec.

Ed. Johns is becoming quite a noted driver, and Vic. Honde will have to look to his laurels. Monday, while taking in the cricket match at Pine Lake, the rig was upset, and the horses took to a damp and very muddy slough. Ed. hung on to the lines like a British rat, and was dragged through the mushy stuff until he looked like a Hindu meditating on the futility of life. He thought he would be drowned. The horses were caught by a wire fence a little while after, not much the worse for the escapade.

John Greening left a bunch of large tomatoes at the News Office yesterday, the finest we have yet seen. They were grown in the open and were just coming to turn.

David Linn recently sold his fine half-section on Sec. 36, T. 28, R. 22, W. 4th, three miles north-west of Red Deer, to Samuel Blakeley, of Peterborough, Ontario, who is an up-to-date farmer, who understands his business thoroughly. The News welcomes Mr. Blakeley and his brother from old Ontario, and feel that they will make good in their new home in the west. Our old friend Mr. Linn is not sure where he will yet make his home, but one of his Red Deer old timers, having been in his present farm twenty-three years, he will be missed by his numerous friends, who will wish him luck wherever he makes his home.

## Mail Order Romance Episode

Red Deer Homesteader Brings Girl From Michigan to Be His Wife.

She Gives Him Cold Shako at Last Moment.

The News-Telegram of Calgary has a most heart-rending episode of a young man in this neighborhood:

After coming all the way from Sioux City, Michigan, to Calgary to meet a homesteader who had placed an advertisement in a matrimonial paper, Miss Annie Craig found that her ideal was not realized and refused to marry the man who was responsible for her trip. It had been arranged that they should meet at Calgary, and that the wedding would take place the day she arrived. The license was procured, the house was rented, and everything was in readiness for the fair bride to arrive, but when she did come, the state of affairs changed entirely, she refused to have anything to do with him.

The homesteader lives near Red Deer, and showed the letters of the girl to the reporter of The News-Telegram Friday, stating that he considered she had played him a very unfair trick, and said that he would place the matter in the hands of his lawyer and endeavor to get back from Miss Craig the money he sent her to come to Calgary, and also the present he sent her.

SIX MONTHS' COURTSHIP.

He stated that he has been corresponding with her for nearly six months, and during that time he had sent her a watch and several pieces of jewelry. They had decided to get married in Calgary, and he had rented a house in Hillhurst for her, and they were going to spend the rest of the summer there, and then go to the homestead. He showed his license taken out in Calgary Wednesday of this week.

P.T.U.'S JOB, HE ALLIGES.

She has gone back to Sioux City," he said. "I would like to think that I will be foolishlike this and not do something to get even with her. I do not care now about her not marrying me, but she has cost me \$200 of my money that she has to return, also the presents that I sent her, believing that she was going to be my wife. I believe she never intended to marry me, but wanted a trip, and had made up her mind before she arrived that she would throw me down. I feel like a chump for several of my friends in Calgary and at Red Deer were asked to the wedding.

The homesteader asked that his name be kept out of the paper. He stated that the girl arrived in Calgary Thursday and left Friday morning.

#### Shower

A very pleasant evening was spent on Friday last at the house of Mrs. Melbride, where a number of friends of Miss Agnes Patterson gathered to make her a presentation on account of her approaching marriage to Dr. Turner of Bowden. The party was a surprise to Miss Patterson, the young people who were responsible having kept the matter strictly private. The party first proceeded to enjoy themselves at cards, etc., at the conclusion of which T. A. Gaetz, who was present, was seen making his way into the parlor under a load of silver plate. After depositing it carefully on the table, T. A. called the party to order, and proceeded to make the presentation to Miss Patterson. It was in a merry mood, but tried to appear very fatherly as he spoke of Nancy's devotion to the numerous clubs in the city that she had been a useful member of (particularly the Alexandra Club), and of the many friends she had made, both in business and in private life; but while they were being told of her marriage, some one else would be the gainer. He hoped that she and her husband would be able to settle down in Red Deer. Miss Patterson replied with a neat little speech, in which she thanked them for the present, and assured them that it was not necessary to have a gift to remind her of the very close friends she saw gathered there. T. A. is strongly recommended to act as chairman on these very pleasant occasions.

#### Poplar Ridge

Rev. Bennett was out on Sunday, and quite a number listened to one of his good sermons.

Don't forget the meeting next Sunday at three o'clock.

Misses Ethel and Leah Staples and Nellie Rowen have gone to Red Deer for the winter to attend school.

There was born on August 22nd, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Woods, of Viridig, Nebraska, and a granddaughter to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Atkins.

#### MARRIED.

At the Methodist parsonage, Aug. 18th, by Rev. Dr. Wilson, Miss Lillian F. Evans, of Red Deer, to Mr. Thomas H. Jacobs, of Mayton, Alta.

At Red Deer, on September 2nd, by Rev. Dr. Wilson, Miss Anna R. Hewson, of Red Deer, to Mr. Alexander A. B. Mitchell, of Acheoche, Scotland.

Harry Harvey Kingest and Amy Barbara Rowell were being married today at 10 o'clock at Hillsdown. The happy couple will leave Red Deer on tonight's train for Victoria, B.C., where the honeymoon will be spent.

## RESULT OF STANDING FIELD GRAIN COMPETITION.

#### OATS.

1st prize—W. E. Pixley, Hill End, with 95 points out of a possible 100.  
 2nd prize—R. C. Abbott, of Larcombe, with 94 points out of 100.  
 3rd prize—Geo. W. Donomey, Penhold, with 92 points out of 100.

The following competitors finished in the order named:

R. A. Shular, Blackfalds ..... 89  
 A. Gehrke, Red Deer ..... 87  
 J. Corn, Innisfail ..... 87  
 J. Day, Red Deer ..... 86  
 Bower Bros., Red Deer ..... 86  
 Chris. White ..... 68

#### BARLEY.

1st prize—John Conn, Innisfail, with 91 points out of a possible 100.  
 2nd prize—A. Gehrke, Red Deer, 90.  
 3rd prize—J. Day, Red Deer, 86.  
 4th prize—Geo. W. Donomey, Penhold, 85.  
 5th prize—H. Pusey, Valley Centre, 75.

AMATEUR VAUDEVILLE AT EMPRESS THEATRE.

Although the rain kept quite a number of people away on Friday night, there was a good attendance to hear the local artists at the Empress Theatre. Some very good singing was heard, some of the contestants getting an encore. Reg. Taylor sang two very fine songs, and won the first prize; Miss Harrison sang two comic songs in fine style, winning second prize; while Miss Walker, who sang a Spanish song, got the third prize.

## JUDICIAL SALE

#### LARKE V. AHO.

Pursuant to the final order for sale, there will be offered for sale by N. White, auctioneer, at the Sheriff's Office in Red Deer, at two p.m., on the 12th day of September, 1913, the following land:

The North-West quarter of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Thirty-eight (38), Range Two (2), West of the Fifth Meridian.

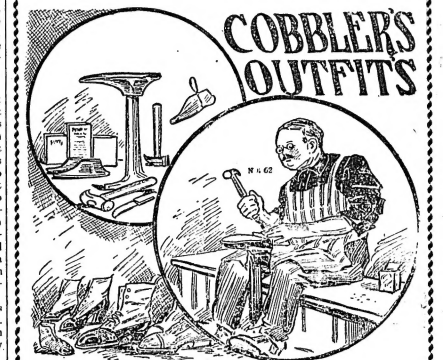
The property is four and a half (4 1/2) miles from Evans, and about two and a half (2 1/2) miles from a railway station; two miles from a School House and Church. The soil is black sandy loam and clay, sub-soil. Sixty acres are under cultivation. One Hundred acres of poplar and willow. There is a good supply of water. There is a frame house 24 x 30, and log barn 26 x 34, both in fair condition.

The property will be offered at the upset price of \$2,000.00.

Terms of payment: Ten per cent. to the Plaintiff's Solicitors at the time of sale, the balance to be paid into court within sixty days without interest. The sale is subject to the standing conditions of this court. Further particulars may be had from Messrs. Green & Payne, of Red Deer, Alberta, Solicitors.

DATED at Red Deer, Alberta, this 10th day of August, 1913.

P. S. SIMPSON,  
 Deputy Clerk of the Court.  
 Approved Wm. A. B. Lees,  
 J.S.C.A. Aug. 27, 3w



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One of our cobbler's outfits will save your shoes, save repair bills, save lots of time in taking the work somewhere else. Often it requires more time to take a pair of shoes to be repaired than it does to do the work yourself. What you save in time and money will pay for the outfit in one season.

**YOU can easily do work for your neighbors in your spare time if you care to, besides, you don't have to be without your boots and shoes a day or two or three days while they are being repaired**

**YOU will find one of our cobbler's outfits about the best investment you have ever made, both from the standpoint of time and money.**

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for my Red Deer West Lots" said an investor Monday. "In less than 24 months I'll get twice that."

This investor is a man of faith and foresight.

He knows that Red Deer with its railways, its educational facilities, its manufacturing plants, its distributing facilities, its splendid dairy and mixed farming district, its central position, its magnificent residential situation and its progressive citizens must eventually become one of the first cities of the province.

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